

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	:	
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Plaintiff,	:	
	:	
v.	:	
	:	
DIAMOND STATE SALVAGE	:	
COMPANY, INC.	:	Civil Action No.: 05-76-KAJ
ESTATE OF HERBERT SHERR,	:	
NANCY SHERR, AS EXECUTRIX	:	
FOR THE ESTATE OF HERBERT SHERR,	:	
BARBARA SHERR KLEGER,	:	
	:	
and	:	
	:	
DELMARVA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY,	:	
	:	
Defendants.	:	

**PLAINTIFF UNITED STATES OF AMERICA'S  
MOTION TO ENTER CONSENT DECREE**

On April 1, 2005, Plaintiff United States of America, on behalf of the United States Environmental Protection Agency (“EPA”), lodged a proposed Consent Decree with this Court. This Consent Decree resolves claims of the United States against defendants Estate of Herbert Sherr, Nancy Sherr, as Executrix for the Estate of Herbert Sherr, Barbara Sherr Kleger, and Delmarva Power & Light Company (“Settling Defendants”), under the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (“CERCLA”), 42 U.S.C. §§ 9601 et seq. The Consent Decree does not resolve claims against defendant Diamond State Salvage Company.

Pursuant to Department of Justice policy at 28 C.F.R. § 50.7, notice of the proposed Consent Decree was published in the Federal Register on April 14, 2005 (70 Fed. Reg. 19783), and the public was provided thirty (30) days in which to comment on the proposed Decree.

The time period for public comment has expired and the Department of Justice has not received any comments on the proposed Decree. Pursuant to Paragraph 43 of the proposed Consent Decree, the Settling Defendants have consented to entry of the Consent Decree. Therefore, the United States now respectfully moves this Court to sign and enter the proposed Consent Decree lodged with the Court on April 1, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,

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